

## STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

State: Oregon

MORE LIBERAL METHODS OF TREATING INCOME  
UNDER SECTION 1902(r)(2) OF THE ACT☐ Section 1902(f) State☒ Non-Section 1902(f) State

1. The following income regulations apply to Working Disabled individuals as defined in Section 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(XIII) of the Social Security Act:

- (a) The total amount of payments for *Employment and Independence Expenses (EIE's)* shall be excluded from income when determining eligibility.

The excluded expense shall be utilized after all other SSI income disregards have been exhausted.

*Employment and Independence Expenses* shall include any expense that will be determined by the state to enhance an individual's independence and/or increase employment opportunities.

- (b) The total amount of payments made to *Approved Accounts*, described in Supplement 8b, shall be excluded when determining eligibility.

The excluded expense shall be utilized after all other SSI income disregards have been exhausted.

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State: OregonMORE LIBERAL METHODS OF TREATING UNEARNED INCOME  
UNDER SECTION 1902(r)(2) OF THE ACT☐ Section 1902(f) State☒ Non-Section 1902(f) State

1. The following unearned income regulations apply to Working Disabled individuals as defined in Section 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(XIII) of the Social Security Act:
  - (a) An amount of unearned income equal to the Oregon Supplemental Income Program standard shall be exempt when determining eligibility under this section.
  - (b) The total amount of any special needs allowances shall also be exempt. Special needs allowances are defined under Oregon Administrative Rules.

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